

ARB, INC.

CONTRACT NO. V101DC-0106

VABCA-6364-6420

VA MEDICAL CENTER
LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

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Department of Veterans Affairs.

ORDER ENTERING JUDGMENT

1. On August 2, 2002, the Department of Veterans Affairs and Appellant filed a JOINT MOTION FOR JUDGMENT ON STIPULATED SETTLEMENT. The motion encloses a STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT finally executed on July 17, 2002, entered into by the parties concerning VABCA-6364-6420.
2. The parties recite that they have "amicably resolved" the issues which are the subject of VABCA-6364-6420 and jointly move that the Board enter Judgment in the amount of \$450,000 which "includes all costs, both direct and indirect, including attorney's fees but not interest. The STIPULATION further provides that interest "will be paid in accordance with the Contract Disputes Act

of 1978, 41 U.S.C. § 601-613, commencing September 17, 1999.” The Stipulation of Settlement further states that the VA will release retainage in the amount of \$404,265.

3. Inasmuch as the parties have stipulated the equitable adjustments due ARB, Inc. in VABCA-6364-6420, their JOINT MOTION FOR JUDGMENT ON STIPULATED SETTLEMENT is GRANTED. Appellant is found entitled to \$450,000 plus interest pursuant to the terms and conditions of the STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT entered into by the parties.

IT IS SO ORDERED

DATE: **August 7, 2002**

PATRICIA J. SHERIDAN
Administrative Judge